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Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

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Fee (\$)	Small Entity
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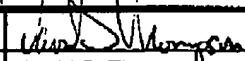
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2 Filing Date 03/01/2004
3 Inventorship Johnson, et al
4 Applicant Microsoft Corporation
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5 Group Art Unit 2131
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